





## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No.: 10/511,729

Confirmation No.: 2577

In re Application of:

Masaharu USHIHARA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2862

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Examiner: Reena Aurora

For: Rotation Angle-Detecting Device

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired October 14, 2005, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for one month. There is also attached our Check No. 05023 in the amount of \$120.00 in payment for:

<u>X</u>	Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$120.00) [\$60.00].
	Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$450.00) [\$225.00].
	Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$1,020.00) [\$510.00].

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 194293.

Respectfully submitted,

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